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Case No. 9281/3898
Alps No. J US97964

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

SAKAI et al.

Serial No.: 09/748,530

Filing Date: December 22, 2000

For: SUBSTRATE HAVING REPAIRED
METALLIC PATTERN AND METHOD
AND DEVICE FOR REPAIRING
METALLIC PATTERN ON SUBSTRATE

Examiner:

C. Cooke

Group Art Unit No.
1724

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (37 CFR § 1.114)

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Dear Sir:

Applicant requests continued examination under 37 CFR § 1.114.



Applicant is:



a small entity, verified statement is:



attached



already filed



other than small entity



The fee set forth in § 1.17(e) must be filed along with this request:



Attached is a check for the § 1.17(e) fee.



Charge the § 1.17(e) fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.
A duplicate copy of this request is attached.

☒ A submission must be filed along with this request. The following submission is filed herewith:

☐ An Information Disclosure Statement

☒ An Amendment to the written description, claims, or drawings

☐ New Arguments and/or New Evidence in Support of Patentability

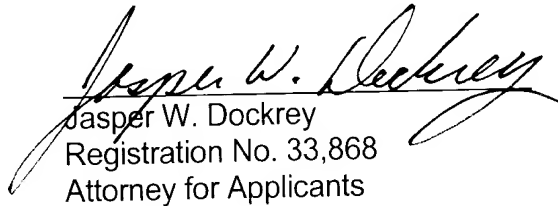
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☐ A petition and fee for an extension of the time is enclosed herewith.

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In response to the Office Action dated February 21, 2003 in the above-referenced application, please reconsider the rejection in view of the amendment and remarks provided herein.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.



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